

Office of the CHIEF OF POLICE,

AUSTIN, July 16<sup>th</sup> 1870.

Pvt William Paschal

State Police:

Sir:

I herewith transmit your commission; as Private of State Police. You will subscribe the inclosed oath, and return it to this office as soon as possible.

If you accept the appointment, state your age, and give post-office address.

Report to Capt M. P. Hammett <sup>in Person at Naco</sup> State Police, for duty.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

Lance Davis

Chief of State Police.

Address your reply to

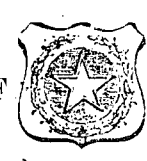
The Chief of State Police,

Austin, Texas.

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James Stewart  
Ch. Police

In the Name and by the Authority  
OF THE  
STATE OF TEXAS.



TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME--GREETING:

Know All, That I, Edmund J. Davis, Governor of the State of Texas, reposing special trust and full confidence in the Loyalty, Integrity and Ability of William Paschal do, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of said State, constitute and appoint him, the said William Paschal a Private of State Police for all counties in said State of Texas giving and hereby granting to him, the said William Paschal, all the rights, privileges and emoluments appertaining to said office.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my name and caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at the City of Austin, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy the Thirty-fifth, and the Independence of Texas

Edmund J. Davis

Governor of Texas.

BY THE GOVERNOR:

James Stewart

Secretary of State.